

**MARCH 5, 2007  
PARMA CITY HALL COUNCIL CHAMBER  
REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING  
7:00 P.M.**

The Regular Council meeting was called to order by President of Council Charles M. Germana presiding:

**COUNCIL MEMBERS PRESENT:**

NICHOLAS J. CELEBREZZE  
BRIAN DAY  
MARY GALINAS  
ROY J. JECH  
LARRY NAPOLI  
KENNETH A. RAMSER  
THOMAS J. REGAS  
SCOTT M. TUMA  
SEAN P. BRENNAN

The following officials and department heads were also present: Chief Assistant Law Director Deanna O'Donnell, Auditor Dennis M. Kish, Treasurer Anthony C. Zielinski, Service Director Brian Higgins, Safety Director Gregory Baeppler, Assistant Building Commissioner Don Graves, Communications and Community Relations Director Powell Caesar, Recreation Commissioner Mickey Vittardi, Director of Human Resources Elayne Siegfried, Senior Citizen Director Jo Ann Mason, Mayor's Administrative Assistant Meghann McCall, Economic Development Officer/Grant Writer Shelley Cullins, Director of Public Housing Lev Kulchytsky, and Clerk of Council Tom Mastroianni.

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**INVOCATION**

The Invocation was given this evening by Clerk of Council Thomas Mastroianni.

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**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

**VOICE VOTE:**

RESOLUTION NO. 72-07      3/5/07      L-72-07

BY: **S. M. TUMA**, S. P. BRENNAN, N. J. CELEBREZZE, B. DAY, M. GALINAS, R. J. JECH,  
L. NAPOLI, K. A. RAMSER, T. REGAS

A RESOLUTION HONORING AND RECOGNIZING  
DAISY TROOP 1357 FOR THEIR ONGOING EFFORTS  
TO LEARN MORE ABOUT THEIR LOCAL COMMUNITIES  
AND CITY GOVERNMENTS AND ON THEIR SUCCESSFUL  
TOUR OF PARMA CITY HALL

Motion made by Councilman Brennan, seconded by Councilman Day, to adopt Resolution No. 72-07. Motion carried.

Mr. Germana – Asked Daisy Troop 1357 and their leaders to come forward and that Clerk of Council Mastroianni read the Resolution in its entirety.

Councilman Tuma – Presented the Resolution to Daisy Troop 1357.

Safety Director Baeppler – Presented a Proclamation to Daisy Troop 1357 on behalf of the Mayor.

Leaders of Daisy Troop 1357 – Thanked Council for the Resolution and the Mayor for the Proclamation.

**VOICE VOTE CONTINUED:**

RESOLUTION NO. 58-07                      3/5/07                      L-57-07  
BY: **S. P. BRENNAN**, N. J. CLEBREZZE, B. DAY, M. GALINAS, R. J. JECH, L. NAPOLI  
K. A. RAMSER, T. J. REGAS, S. M. TUMA

A RESOLUTION HONORING DAVID PITMAN FOR HIS  
DEDICATION TO SERVING THE SENIOR AND DISABLED  
RESIDENTS OF THE CITY OF PARMA

Motion made by Councilman Brennan, seconded by Councilman Day, to adopt Resolution No. 58-07. Motion carried.

Mr. Germana – Asked that David Pitman come forward and that Clerk of Council Mastroianni read the Resolution in its entirety.

Councilman Brennan – Presented the Resolution to David Pitman.

David Pitman – Thanked Council for the Resolution.

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RESOLUTION NO. 56-07                      3/5/07                      L-55-07  
BY: **N. J. CLEBREZZE**, S. P. BRENNAN, B. DAY, M. GALINAS, R. J. JECH, L. NAPOLI,  
K. A. RAMSER, T. J. REGAS, S. M. TUMA

A RESOLUTION HONORING JOSEPH GOOD ON RECEIVING  
THE GOLDEN ELK AWARD

Motion made by Councilman Brennan, seconded by Councilman Day, to adopt Resolution No. 56-07. Motion carried.

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RESOLUTION NO. 57-07                      3/5/07                      L-56-07  
BY: **B. DAY**, S. P. BRENNAN, N. J. CLEBREZZE, M. GALINAS, R. J. JECH, L. NAPOLI,  
K. A. RAMSER, T. J. REGAS, S. M. TUMA

A RESOLUTION HONORING SHAWN BRANDT ON  
ATTAINING THE RANK OF EAGLE SCOUT

Motion made by Councilman Brennan, seconded by Councilman Day, to adopt Resolution No. 57-07. Motion carried.

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**LEGISLATIVE COMMENT**

Mr. Germana – Asked if anyone from the public would like to comment about any legislation that Council will be taking final action on tonight. No one wished to comment.

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**DISPOSAL OF THE JOURNAL**

Mr. Germana – Stated, we have the Minutes from the Regular Council Meetings of February 5, 2007 and February 20, 2007, and the Minutes from the Special Council Meetings of February 12, 2007 and February 26, 2007. Asked if there were any additions or corrections to these Minutes. Stated, hearing none, the Minutes will stand approved as printed.

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**COMMUNICATIONS, PETITIONS, AND CLAIMS**

Notice to Legislative Authority, Ohio Division of Liquor Control, 6606 Tussing Road, P. O. Box 4005, Reynoldsburg, Ohio, 43068-9005, Permit Number 91873960001, for a D1, D2, D6 Liquor Permit Transfer from Vala Holdings, Ltd., dba Giant Eagle, 5739 Broadview Road, Parma, Ohio 44134 to Vala Holdings, Ltd., dba Giant Eagle, 1825 Snow Road, Parma, Ohio 44134. Mailed 02/23/07. Responses must be postmarked no later than 3/26/07.

**COMMUNICATIONS, PETITIONS, AND CLAIMS CONTINUED:**

Notice to Legislative Authority, Ohio Division of Liquor Control, 6606 Tussing Road, P. O. Box 4005, Reynoldsburg, Ohio, 43068-9005, Permit Number 1981490, for a D5, D6 Transfer from Whiskey Business, Inc., 4305 Brookpark Road, Parma, Ohio 44134 to Dawn & Debi, Inc., dba Whiskey Business, 4305 Brookpark Road, Parma, Ohio 44134. Mailed 2/28/07. Responses must be postmarked no later than 4/02/07.

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Mr. Germana – Said Liquor Permits will be referred to Ward Council and to the Safety Director.

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Council Annual Report 2006, which is on file in the Council Office.

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Human Resources/Purchasing Department 2006 Annual Report, which is on file in the Council Office.

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Parma Municipal Court Annual Report 2006, which is on file in the Council Office.  
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**ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS**

Motion made by Councilman Brennan, seconded by Councilman Day, to amend the Calendar as follows: "On Page 3., under Suspension of the Rules, remove Ordinance No. 61-07 and place it on Page 1., under First Reading immediately after Ordinance No. 49-07. Also, on Pages 2. and 3., under Third Reading, both Ordinance No. 18-07 and 24-07 will be held on Third Reading." Motion carried.

**FIRST READING:**

ORDINANCE NO. 7-07                      3/5/07                      L-7-07  
BY: **M. GALINAS**  
(By Request – City Engineer/Building Commissioner)

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE BUILDING DEPARTMENT TO SUBMIT AN APPLICATION TO THE OHIO MANUFACTURED HOMES COMMISSION AUTHORIZING THE PARMA BUILDING DEPARTMENT AND ITS INSPECTORS TO INSPECT AND/OR REVIEW MANUFACTURED HOME INSTALLATIONS IN THE CITY OF PARMA, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

Mr. Germana – Said Ordinance will be referred to the Public Safety Committee.

ORDINANCE NO. 49-07                      3/5/07                      L-48-07  
BY: **R. J. JECH, M. GALINAS, S. P. BRENNAN, N. J. CELEBREZZE, B. DAY, L. NAPOLI, K. A. RAMSER, T. J. REGAS, S. M. TUMA**  
(By Request – Mayor)

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR AND THE SAFETY DIRECTOR TO ESTABLISH A CITIZENS' POLICE ACADEMY FOR THE PARMA POLICE DEPARTMENT, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

Mr. Germana – Said Ordinance will be referred to the Public Safety Committee.  
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**FIRST READING CONTINUED:**

ORDINANCE NO. 61-07                      3/5/07                      L-60-07

BY: **S. M. TUMA**

(By Request – Mayor)

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND A PORTION OF SUBSECTION  
(A) OF SECTION 185.07 "FEES FOR EMERGENCY MEDICAL  
SERVICE" OF ORDINANCE NOS. 155-01 AND 135-06 OF  
THE CODIFIED ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF PARMA,  
AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

Mr. Germana – Said Ordinance will be referred to the Finance Committee.

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RESOLUTION NO. 62-07                      3/5/07                      L-61-07

BY: **S. M. TUMA**

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING AND DIRECTING THE  
DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC SERVICE TO ISSUE A PERMIT  
TO TRANSPORT INTO THE TERRITORIAL LIMITS OF  
THE CITY OF PARMA, FIREWORKS AND FIREWORK  
SUNDRIES FOR A PYROTECHNIC DISPLAY, AND  
DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

Mr. Germana – Said Resolution will be referred to the Public Safety Committee.

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ORDINANCE NO. 63-07                      3/5/07                      L-62-07

BY: **S. M. TUMA**

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR AND THE  
DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC SERVICE TO ENTER INTO AN  
AGREEMENT WITH THE BEST BIDDER FOR THE PURCHASE  
OF A PYROTECHNICS DISPLAY INCLUDING A LICENSED  
PYROTECHNIST AND QUALIFIED ASSISTANTS, AND  
DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

Mr. Germana – Said Resolution will be referred to the Public Safety Committee.

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ORDINANCE NO. 64-07                      3/5/07                      L-63-07

BY: **S. M. TUMA**

(By Request – Purchasing and Personnel Director)

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE DIRECTOR OF  
PUBLIC SERVICE TO ENTER INTO A FORTY-EIGHT (48)  
MONTH LEASE WITH THE LOWEST AND BEST BIDDER  
FOR FORTY (40) DIGITAL COPIERS FOR VARIOUS  
LOCATIONS THROUGHOUT THE CITY, AND DECLARING  
AN EMERGENCY

Mr. Germana – Said Ordinance will be referred to the Finance Committee.

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**FIRST READING CONTINUED:**

RESOLUTION NO. 69-07                      3/5/07                      L-69-07

BY: **R. J. JECH**

(By Request – City Engineer)

A RESOLUTION DECLARING IT NECESSARY TO IMPROVE GRANTWOOD DRIVE, SOUTH PARK BOULEVARD, WEST RIDGEWOOD DRIVE AND BROADVIEW ROAD AT RUSTIC TRAIL IN THE CITY OF PARMA, OHIO, BY PROVIDING THE INSTALLATION OF SANITARY SEWERS, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

Mr. Germana – Said Resolution will be referred to the Finance Committee.

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ORDINANCE NO. 71-07                      3/5/07                      L-71-07

BY: **T. REGAS**

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR AND THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC SERVICE OF THE CITY OF PARMA TO ENTER INTO A LICENSE AGREEMENT WITH THE NORTH UNION FARMERS MARKET TO MANAGE AND ADMINISTER A FARMERS MARKET AT STEARNS HOMESTEAD, ALSO KNOWN AS PERMANENT PARCEL NUMBER 450-18-1, AT 6975 RIDGE ROAD, PARMA, OHIO, AND PROPERTY LOCATED SOUTH OF STEARNS HOMESTEAD ALSO KNOWN AS PERMANENT PARCEL NUMBER 450-19-2, AT 6995 RIDGE ROAD IN THE CITY OF PARMA DURING THE 2007 SEASON, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

Mr. Germana – Said Ordinance will be referred to the Finance Committee.

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**THIRD READING:**

ORDINANCE NO. 18-07                      3/5/07                      L-19-07

BY: **S. P. BRENNAN, N. J. CELEBREZZE**

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND SUBSECTION (A) OF SECTION 351.18 "OVERNIGHT PARKING DURING WINTER MONTHS" OF THE CODIFIED ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF PARMA

Mr. Germana – Said Ordinance will be held on Third Reading.

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ORDINANCE NO. 24-07                      3/5/07                      L-24-07

BY: **S. M. TUMA**

(By Request – Service Director)

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC SERVICE TO ENTER INTO A THREE (3) YEAR CONTRACT WITH THE LOWEST AND BEST BIDDER FOR UNIFORM SERVICE, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

Mr. Germana – Said Ordinance will be held on Third Reading.

**SUSPENSION OF THE RULES:**

ORDINANCE NO. 59-07

3/5/07

L-58-07

BY: **S. M. TUMA**

(By Request – Service Director)

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND A PORTION OF SECTION 1  
OF ORDINANCE NO. 129-06 RELATIVE TO THE AMOUNT  
FOR A CONTRACT FOR THE PURCHASE OF GASOLINE  
AND FUEL OIL, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

Mr. Germana – Shall the statutory provision and Rule 47 requiring the full and distinct reading of Ordinance No. 59-07 on three different days be dispensed with?

Yes: Celebrezze, Day, Galinas, Jech, Napoli, Ramser, Regas, Tuma, Brennan.

No: None; motion carried.

Mr. Germana – Shall Rule 44 requiring reference to Committee be dispensed with and Ordinance No. 59-07 be placed on final passage?

Yes: Celebrezze, Day, Galinas, Jech, Napoli, Ramser, Regas, Tuma, Brennan.

No: None; motion carried.

Motion made by Councilman Brennan, seconded by Councilman Day, to adopt Ordinance No. 59-07.

Yes: Celebrezze, Day, Galinas, Jech, Napoli, Ramser, Regas, Tuma, Brennan.

No: None; Ordinance No. 59-07 is adopted.

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RESOLUTION NO. 60-07

3/5/07

L-59-07

BY: **M. GALINAS**, N. J. CELEBREZZE, B. DAY, R. J. JECH, L. NAPOLI, K. A. RAMSER,

T. J. REGAS, S. M. TUMA, S. P. BRENNAN

(By Request – Safety Director)

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE AUDITOR TO ACCEPT  
THE DONATION OF CURRENT SICK LEAVE ACCUMULATION  
INTO THE SICK LEAVE ACCOUNT OF PATROLMAN THOMAS  
KREBS IN ORDER TO CONTINUE HIS PAYROLL WHILE HE  
IS RECUPERATING, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

Mr. Germana – Shall the statutory provision and Rule 47 requiring the full and distinct reading of Resolution No. 60-07 on three different days be dispensed with?

Yes: Celebrezze, Day, Galinas, Jech, Napoli, Ramser, Regas, Tuma, Brennan.

No: None; motion carried.

Mr. Germana – Shall Rule 44 requiring reference to Committee be dispensed with and Resolution No. 60-07 be placed on final passage?

Yes: Celebrezze, Day, Galinas, Jech, Napoli, Ramser, Regas, Tuma, Brennan.

No: None; motion carried.

Motion made by Councilman Brennan, seconded by Councilman Day, to adopt Resolution No. 60-07.

Yes: Celebrezze, Day, Galinas, Jech, Napoli, Ramser, Regas, Tuma, Brennan.

No: None; Resolution No. 60-07 is adopted.  
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**SUSPENSION OF THE RULES CONTINUED:**

ORDINANCE NO. 65-07

3/5/07

L-65-07

BY: **S. M. TUMA**

(By Request – Auditor)

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE 2007 TEMPORARY  
APPROPRIATIONS OF THE CITY OF PARMA, OHIO,  
AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

Mr. Germana – Shall the statutory provision and Rule 47 requiring the full and distinct reading of Ordinance No.65-07 on three different days be dispensed with?

Yes: Celebrezze, Day, Galinas, Jech, Napoli, Ramser, Regas, Tuma, Brennan.

No: None; motion carried.

Mr. Germana – Shall Rule 44 requiring reference to Committee be dispensed with and Ordinance No.65-07 be placed on final passage?

Yes: Celebrezze, Day, Galinas, Jech, Napoli, Ramser, Regas, Tuma, Brennan.

No: None; motion carried.

Motion made by Councilman Brennan, seconded by Councilman Day, to adopt Ordinance No. 65-07.

Yes: Celebrezze, Day, Galinas, Jech, Napoli, Ramser, Regas, Tuma, Brennan.

No: None; Ordinance No. 65-07 is adopted.

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RESOLUTION NO. 66-07

3/5/07

L-66-07

BY: **S. M. TUMA**

(By Request – Auditor)

A RESOLUTION APPROVING THE CITY AUDITOR'S POST  
CERTIFICATION OF REQUISITIONS AS DETAILED IN  
EXHIBIT "A", AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

Mr. Germana – Shall the statutory provision and Rule 47 requiring the full and distinct reading of Resolution No. 66-07 on three different days be dispensed with?

Yes: Celebrezze, Day, Galinas, Jech, Napoli, Ramser, Regas, Tuma, Brennan.

No: None; motion carried.

Mr. Germana – Shall Rule 44 requiring reference to Committee be dispensed with and Resolution No. 66-07 be placed on final passage?

Yes: Celebrezze, Day, Galinas, Jech, Napoli, Ramser, Regas, Tuma, Brennan.

No: None; motion carried.

Motion made by Councilman Brennan, seconded by Councilman Day, to adopt Resolution No. 66-07.

Yes: Celebrezze, Day, Galinas, Jech, Napoli, Ramser, Regas, Tuma, Brennan.

No: None; Resolution No. 66-07 is adopted.

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ORDINANCE NO. 67-07

3/5/07

L-67-07

BY: **S. M. TUMA**

(By Request – Mayor)

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO ENTER  
INTO A THREE (3) YEAR SPONSORSHIP AGREEMENT  
WITH PARMATOWN ONE, LLC, FOR USAGE AND PAYMENT  
FOR THE COMMUNITY CONFERENCE CENTER, AND  
DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

**SUSPENSION OF THE RULES CONTINUED:**

Motion made by Councilman Brennan, seconded by Councilman Day, to refer Ordinance No. 67-07 to the Finance Committee. Motion carried.

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ORDINANCE NO. 68-07                      3/5/07                      L-68-07

BY: **R. J. JECH, M. GALINAS**  
(By Request – Safety Director)

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND SECTION 3 OF ORDINANCE NO. 86-06 TO INCLUDE A FUND NUMBER FOR MASONRY WORK FOR FIRE STATION #2, LOCATED AT 3311 SNOW ROAD IN THE CITY OF PARMA, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

Mr. Germana – Shall the statutory provision and Rule 47 requiring the full and distinct reading of Ordinance No. 68-07 on three different days be dispensed with?

Yes: Celebrezze, Day, Galinas, Jech, Napoli, Ramser, Regas, Tuma, Brennan.

No: None; motion carried.

Mr. Germana – Shall Rule 44 requiring reference to Committee be dispensed with and Ordinance No. 68-07 be placed on final passage?

Yes: Celebrezze, Day, Galinas, Jech, Napoli, Ramser, Regas, Tuma, Brennan.

No: None; motion carried.

Motion made by Councilman Brennan, seconded by Councilman Day, to adopt Ordinance No. 68-07.

Yes: Celebrezze, Day, Galinas, Jech, Napoli, Ramser, Regas, Tuma, Brennan.

No: None; Ordinance No. 68-07 is adopted.

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ORDINANCE NO. 70-07                      3/5/07                      L-70-07

BY: **R. J. JECH, L. NAPOLI**  
(By Request – Service Director)

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR AND THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC SERVICE TO ENTER INTO A CONTRACT WITH FABRIZI TRUCKING & PAVING CO., FOR THE EMERGENCY SEWER REPAIR TO THE KEYSTONE INTERCEPT SEWER, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

Mr. Germana – Shall the statutory provision and Rule 47 requiring the full and distinct reading of Ordinance No. 70-07 on three different days be dispensed with?

Yes: Celebrezze, Day, Galinas, Jech, Napoli, Ramser, Regas, Tuma, Brennan.

No: None; motion carried.

Mr. Germana – Shall Rule 44 requiring reference to Committee be dispensed with and Ordinance No. 70-07 be placed on final passage?

Yes: Celebrezze, Day, Galinas, Jech, Napoli, Ramser, Regas, Tuma, Brennan.

No: None; motion carried.

Motion made by Councilman Brennan, seconded by Councilman Day, to adopt Ordinance No. 70-07.

Yes: Celebrezze, Day, Galinas, Jech, Napoli, Ramser, Regas, Tuma, Brennan.

No: None; Ordinance No. 70-07 is adopted.  
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## **CITIZEN OF THE MONTH**

Safety Director Baeppler – Asked Officer Lawrence Orly to come forward. Stated that the Mayor puts a lot of stock in the Citizen of the Month. It is important that we honor our citizens, especially those that go above and beyond and to bring special note to Parma. In this case, Officer Lawrence Orly in the course of his duties went above and beyond and delivered a baby girl. The Mayor would like to present him with the Key to the City. He is sorry that he is not available this evening to present it himself. A Proclamation will follow. Thanked him for being one of our most respected members and for being Citizen of the Month.

Officer Orly stated that he appreciates this very much. Thanked everyone. Stated Parma is a nice community and that he is very happy here.

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## **MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS**

Safety Director Baeppler – No comment.

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Service Director Higgins – Stated, as of March 14, 2007, the hours at the Senior Center will be 8:00 A.M. until 4:00 P.M. vs. 8:30 A.M. until 4:30 P.M. to better facilitate the needs of the seniors. Thanked Council for passing Ordinance No. 70-07.

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Treasurer Zielinski – No comment.

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Chief Assistant Law Director O'Donnell – No comment.

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Auditor Kish – No comment.

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Councilman Celebrezze – No comment.

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Councilman Day – No comment.

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Councilwoman Galinas – Stated, she received a call this evening indicating they are looking for blood. They have a blood emergency.

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Councilman Jech – Stated, he would like to commend Councilman Brennan as far as the Resolution he presented tonight and also his involvement with the Benefits Checkup Program.

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Councilman Napoli – Stated, he would like to echo those remarks about Councilman Brennan. Stated, last Friday he was invited to Dentzler Elementary School where he visited the Third Grade class. It was a government week. Stated this was one of the best behaved group of children he has even seen. Both classes presented him with their law ideas for the City of Parma and how to make it a better community. Stated he would like to bring them before City Council and have a Resolution honoring their efforts and also their ideas.

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Councilman Ramser – No comment.

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Councilman Regas – No comment.

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Councilman Tuma – Thanked members of the Administration for meeting with the Daisy Troop. The impressions you leave on children is unbelievable. Stated he has gone out to schools on Law Day as part of the Parma Bar Association for the last few years. Stated, if you touch one child's life and someday it causes them to get involved in public life, what you have done is beyond words. Congratulated the Citizen of the Month. Stated, it is vital and important to donate blood. Thanked Councilman Brennan for his work with the Benefits Checkup Program. Stated on March 15<sup>th</sup> he and Councilman Brennan will be speaking at the United Methodist

**MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS CONTINUED:**

Church on Ridge Road at 1:00 p.m. Anyone that is interested can attend and learn what benefits the City has to offer and how you go about attaining some of those benefits. Stated, in connection with the Parmatown legislation, one of the things we have an opportunity to do in Council is to ask questions and iron some of these things out and get answers from the Administration.

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Councilman Brennan – Thanked Councilmen Napoli, Jech, and Tuma for their comments about his part in the Benefits Checkup Program. Stated, we have a program to bring school children into Council Chambers to learn how government works. Councilmen Day, Tuma, Clerk of Council Mastroianni, Mayor DePiero, Treasurer Zielinski, and State Representative DeGeeter all played a key roll in developing this program. Commended President of Council Germana for his leadership in the City of Parma, County wide, and in the Greater Cleveland Boy Scout Eagle Dinner at the Cleveland Renaissance Hotel. Stated, he attended, and it was a memorable experience. Stated he e-mailed members of Council about the Relay For Life. It shows how you can create your own webpage to send out e-mails to everyone soliciting donations for this relay.

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Mr. Germana – Thanked Councilman Brennan for the compliment. There were 179 Eagle Scouts at that dinner. Stated there were 7 people who were willing to stand in and be a sponsor. Stated he definitely wants to have a letter commending Detective Compton for coming down in uniform to that dinner and spending 5 hours there. Stated, whenever there is some confusion on legislation that is on Suspension of the Rules, it is best to have discussion. Stated, we start at 6:00 p.m. next Monday because we have budgets.

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**REPORT ON ABSENT MEMBERS**

Motion made by Councilman Brennan, seconded by Councilman Day, to excuse Mayor Dean E. DePiero. Motion carried.

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**ADJOURNMENT**

Motion made by Councilman Brennan, seconded by Councilman Day, to adjourn said Regular Council Meeting. Motion carried.

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**CERTIFICATION**

I, Thomas Mastroianni, Clerk of Council for the City of Parma, Ohio, do hereby certify the above to be a true and correct copy of the Minutes from the Regular Council Meeting held on Monday, March 5, 2007.

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THOMAS MASTROIANNI  
CLERK OF COUNCIL

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CHARLES M. GERMANA  
PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL

Meeting adjourned at 8:00 p.m.

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Minutes completed March 16, 2007

